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 SET FORTH,

By that Divine Spirit which God hath
 given to mee

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Dedicated unto all those which do love
 GOD and the TRUTH.

For Gods Word doth tell you, plainly in the first Epistle to the *Corinthians*, the 6. Chapter and the 17. vers. He that is joyned to the Lord, is one spirit, and there are three that beare record in Heaven, the Father, the Word, and the Holy Ghost, and these three are one, as you may reade in the first Epistle of *John*, the 5. Chapter and the 7. vers. And now I say again, there are four which doth bear record here on earth, & they

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ye have of God, and ye are not your own, for ye are all bought with a great price, even with the precious blood of Christ, by his suffering on the Crosse, and therefore glorifie God in your bodies and in your spirits which are Gods, vers. 20. And thus by Gods helpe, I have made it plainly appare, by p'ain and clear truthes of Scripture, that for all those that will be reconciled to Christ, and to the obedience of his word, which is made manifest in the New Testament, your soules which is the inward man shall be joyned and made one with the Father, Sonne, and Holy Ghost; for as the glorious Trinity cannot be divided from being one in Godhead and unity, neither can the spirits of the true Church be divided from them three, which is the life and substance of true peace and sound Religion, as I in briefe have shewed you, even as God my Father hath shewed me, and by the spirit of Almighty God which proceedeth from above. I hope to draw my King and Parliament into the same true band of peace and love.

And now all ye Committees, Captains, and Commanders, which have your authority from the high Court of Parliament: from your persecuting power I pray in time turne and repeat; for by that glorious light which God hath freely given to mee, you shall understand and plainly see, that if you will not be reconciled to this blessed peace and unitie, and have your spirits joyn'd to the holy and glotious Trinitie, I say again, if you will not be reconciled, you shall be sure damned to bee; for Jesus Christ who is the powerfull God of Heaven and earth, he doth tell you plainly in the 3. Chapter of John, and the 36. vers. *He that believeth not the Sonne, he*

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 the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ, who shal be
 punished with everlasting destruction from the pre-
 sence of the Lord, & from the glorie of his power. And
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 it is the New Testament which doth proceede from the
 Throne of grace, for Jesus Christ he is the Mediator of
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 sound judgement doth belong to God, and to my Kings
 seat, whereunto I am ordained a preacher with power
 for to pleat, and by the power of God you shall see clear:
 Gods Judgement day that doth draw neare, for by the
 Divine power and glorie of Gods grace, my royll King
 shal have free leave to sit in Judgement in Knowle place,
 and have power from God for to call a new Parliament,
 and thereby give Gods people good content, and force
 the Divell for to lament; for by Gods power, he shal be
 sure for to receive his pay; for to be plagued in Hell for
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tell you in the 5.chap. to the Ephe. vers. 13. *All things that are reproved they are made manifest by the lights.* And now ye Committees and Excuses, I pray understand me well, and consider what I say, for your taxing and your plunder, that is as hateful i. Gods fight as robberie on the high way; for I am sure you have no authoritie from my Royall King for to be so bole, for to have the command of our money and goods, and yet you say I must not you controle; but plaine truth if the world condemne theſe for a liar, I am sure I am no Weaver. And now ye Committees, I pray judge you, who doth deserve the halter, the thiefe or the receiver; but God my Father he is full of mercie, and that must be your hope. And ye tormenting spirits I pray forſake your heſt power, that you may all ſcſpe the rop:::

And now all good people in City and Countrey round,

I pray marke and obſerve the Trumpets ſound.

For I muſt tell you plainly, and boldly, I haue received a comiſſion from the Divine power, and Spirit of Almighty God, for to require and intreat you all, for the true love that is in Christ Jesus, and as you will anſwer at the dreadfull day of judgement, for to pay no more Taxe money to the high Court of Parliament, for to maintain cruell and bloody Warre againſt my Royall King, and his trae Subjects; for if ye doe, I muſt tell you plainly, you will be found for to be enemies againſt Jesus Christ, who is the true God of love and peace, and falſe-hearted unto my Royall King.

For as the Bees they are all maintained with the honeſy; even ſo bloody Warre you doe maintaine by feeding the Parliament with money; And now ye man of Warre, Sir Thomas Fairfax, you are found to bee more crafty then the Fox: For you joyne in power with the Great and High Court, I plainly ſee, and ſo you.

you have the command of our money, for to maintaine your great Army. But by the Divine power and glory of Gods Word, you shall be forced for to lay downe your bloody Sword ; For God my Father, and Jesus Christ the Morning Starre, they have made me a man of Warre, for to fight the Spirituall battell of the Lord ; and they have given me a powerfull and fiery Sword, for to cut and burne downe that hellish power, which doth the Saints of God devour.

And yee tormenting spirits, you shall bee made to know God my Father as hee doth require, and you shall be forced to confess, God hath made me a Minister and a flame of fire ; For Gods Word doth tell you plainly, in the first Chapter to the *Hebreues*, and the 7. vers. God makes his Ministers a flame of fier. And as a temporall fire will burne & consume strawe or hay, even so Gods Word shall shine so clear; Marke what I say: For to burne and consume false power quite away.

Now here is a Tuchstone for you, Man of Warre, Colonell Blant ; for by your blind justice you think to conquer prophet *Hawt* : For you have bound mee to app are at *Maidstone* next Quarter Session ; but by the power of God, I shall command you for to subscribe to my Petition. For I pray learme of mee to be true to God, and to the Royall Crown for if you will not, the sword of true Justice shall cut you downe. It is written in the 6 Chapter of the *Revelation*, and the 2 vers. Behold, a white Horse, and he that sate on him had a Bow, and a Crowne was given unto him, and forthwith he went conuering, and to conquer : and now my kind and loving Friend, which by name is called *M. Selke*, I acknowledge, once I was but a babe in Christ, and was fed with heavenly mooke, but now, God my Father,

He hath made me a spirituall Archer, strong and stout,
 For to confound the Devill and all his rous :
 For in my Quiver I haue Arrowes store,
 I am sure a thousand, and many more ;
 And some are shott, and some are long ,
 But my bow is stedfast and exceeding strong :
 For my bow it hath a double string ,
 Which I would gladly shew my Royall King .
 For God hath made me able with my Verses and Prose ,
 For to conquer all our Foes ,
 And I am perswaded if my Royall King did but know
 He would give me leave to play my part . (my art ,
 For the divine power and glory of Gods Word ,
 That is my Bow , and Arrowes , and my Sword ,
 For to wound those darke angels on the head ,
 Which all this miserie have bread :
 But if the darke angels you doe not know ,
 In plaine and briefe I will you shew ,
 For they are the Clergie I plainly see and understand ,
 Which have deceived the whole Land ;
 And that is the maine cause , as you all shall see ,
 Why our King and Parliament cannot agree .
 But by the divine power of Jesus Christ , the glorious
 and precious stone , (all in one .
 The children of Almighty God , they shall be gathered
 For Jesus Christ he doth tell you in the 12 Chap . of
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ous Gospel of love and peace, that by the divine power thereof, bloody Warre may end and cease: for Gods word doth tell you plainly in the 1. Chapter to the *Colos.* and the 19. vers. it pleased God our Father, that in Christ should all fulness dwell, and having made peace through the blood of his Cross, for to reconcile all things unto him selfe.

And now ye Lords, Knights, and Burgeses in Parliament, and all ye Committees, Captains, and Commanders, and all ye Clergy Magistrates and Church-wa:dens, by Gods help I have made it plainly appeare, Jesus Christ was crucified on the Cross, for to draw his people into the true band of love and peace; and now the God of love and peace who hath brought again from the dead our Lord Jesus that great Shepherd of the shshepe, make you all perfect to do his will, working in you that which is well pleasing in his sight, through the Divine power of Jesus Christ our Lord, *Hib. 13. 20.* And now I say again, Jesus Christ he is the great Shepherd of the Sheepe, and there is but one true and perfect God, & there must and shall be but one Religion, one Shepherd, and one Sheep-fold, & Father, Son, & Holy Ghost, they have made me a powerfull instrument for to call and gather the Sheepe into the true fold, that Gods love, power and glory you may behold; and now my Royall King I do humbly beseech your Majestie for to come to Knowle, and I wil shew you by what meanes all our enemies we may controle; for God hath made me able to shew you a plain and speedy way for the establishing of true peace and sound Religion, and for the setting for h of Church Government in such a plain and powerfull way, that the high Court of Parliament, and all their Synod of Divines, Classes, Committees, and Commanders, and those that are called by the name of Anabaptists, shall not be able to convince it; for now by Gods help, I will boldly say, if I cannot plainly proun and maintaine what I speake, why then let me be hanged or burned at a stoke. But ye Lords, Knights, and Burgeses, in Parliament; for the Commandement you do say there are 10, and now I say true love and sound peace, that is the greatest Commandement, and for that cause I hope you will all joyne with me and say. Amen.

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